

July 9, 2018

VIA ELECTRONIC FILING

The Honorable Jocelyn G. Boyd
Chief Clerk / Administrator
Public Service Commission of South Carolina
101 Executive Center Drive, Suite 100
Columbia, South Carolina 29210

RE: **South Carolina Electric & Gas Company**
Notice of New Natural Gas Construction Project

Dear Ms. Boyd:

South Carolina Electric & Gas Company ("SCE&G" or "Company") is required to notify the Public Service Commission of South Carolina ("Commission") and the South Carolina Office of Regulatory Staff ("ORS") of natural gas construction projects with costs of \$500,000 or more. See 10 S.C. Code Ann. Reg. 103-412.2.7(A). In compliance with the regulation, this letter serves as notification to the Commission that SCE&G plans to install approximately 22,700 feet of 12-inch steel natural gas transmission pipeline that will run a southerly route from Hemingway Chapel Road near Dover Drive to SCE&G's existing 6-inch steel transmission pipeline at Pitch Landing Road near Sidewheeler Road in Conway, South Carolina. The new pipeline is being installed in order to meet load demands in the Myrtle Beach area.

Construction on this project will commence in the third quarter of 2018. The Company anticipates that the total cost for this project will exceed \$500,000.

By copy of this letter, we are also notifying the South Carolina Office of Regulatory Staff of the Company's construction project.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Very truly yours,



Matthew W. Gissendanner

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cc: Dawn Hipp
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(all via electronic and U. S. First-Class Mail)